

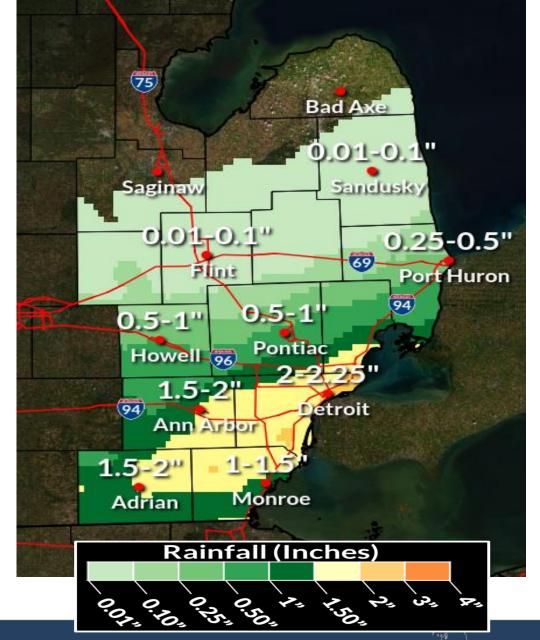
# Rainfall Outlook Today and Tonight

### **Excessive Rainfall Outlook And Forecast Storm Total Rainfall Amounts**

### **KEY POINTS**

- ✓ Widespread rain will affect portions of southeast Michigan.
- This will be a long duration rain event with rain occurring today through tonight. The better chances for thunderstorms and thus much higher rainfall rates are expected south of the MI/OH state line.
- ✓ Total rainfall of 1 to 2.5 inches are forecast, mainly along and south of an Ann Arbor to Port Huron line.
- There remains some uncertainty as to the location of the heaviest rain. The latest forecast has however made a downward adjustment to rain chances along/north of the I-69 corridor.
- If there are indications that rainfall totals in metro Detroit will be higher than currently forecast, flood watches or warnings may need to be issued later today.

**24-Hour Forecast Storm Total Rainfall (Today and Tonight)** 



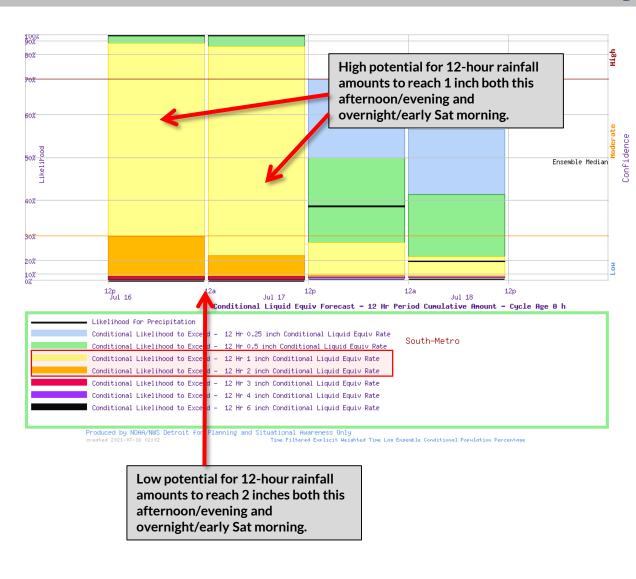


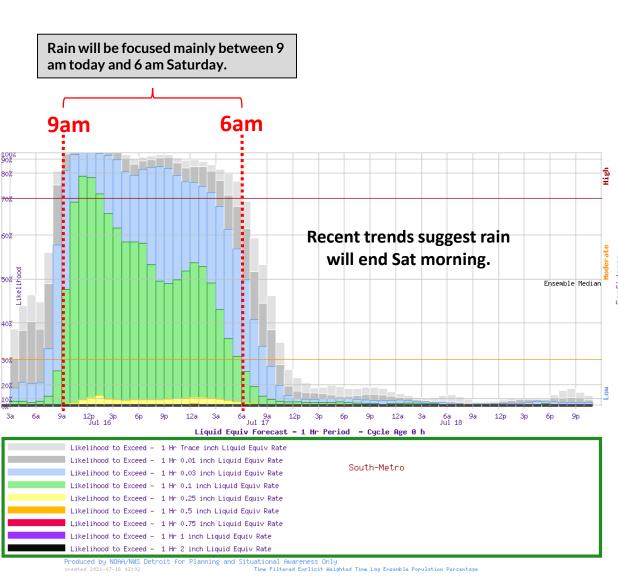
# Metro Detroit, Ann Arbor, Adrian, Monroe

## **12 Hour Conditional Rainfall Amounts and Hourly Rainfall Rates**

### **KEY POINTS**

- ✓ The environment will be supportive of potential rainfall exceeding 1 inch per 12 hours today and tonight.
- ✓ Confidence remains low on heavy rainfall totals impacting any specific area.







# Resources

## **Flood Preparedness Information**

### **Flood Quick Facts and Preparedness:**

### Quick facts you should know about flooding:

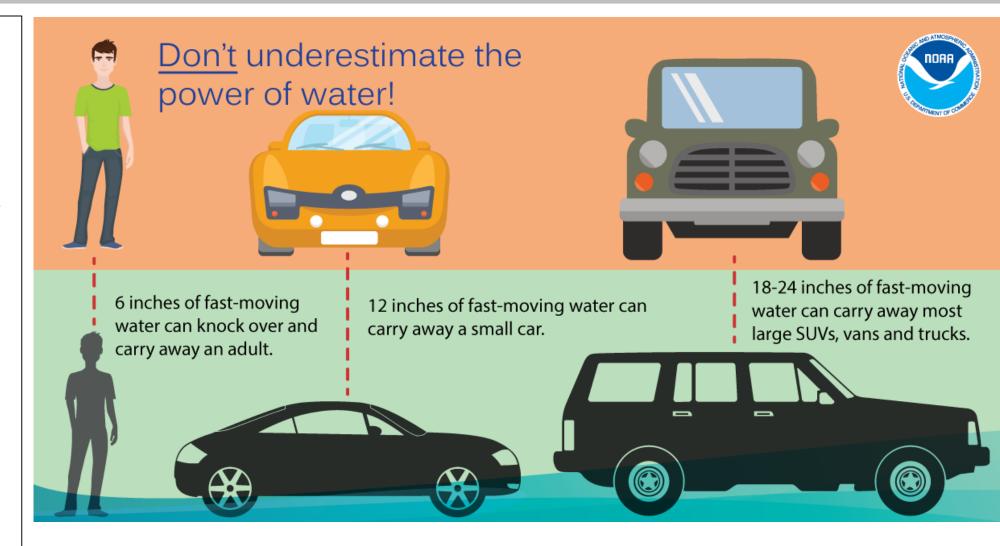
- Flooding can be caused by heavy rain, rapid snow melt, coastal storms, storm surge, waterway overflow, ice jamming, levee overtopping, dam failure, or from wastewater systems.
- Flooding has occurred in every U.S. state and territory.
- It only takes 6 inches of fast-moving water to knock you off your feet.
- A car can be moved in as little as 2 feet of water.
- 90% of all U.S. natural disasters declared by the President involve flooding.

#### Preparedness:

**Know your risk:** Are you in a flood-prone area? Know your zone: www.fema.gov/flood-zones

- You must purchase separate flood insurance for your home. There is a 30 day wait period between when you buy a flood insurance policy and when it goes into effect. Plan ahead!
- A **Flood Watch** is issued when conditions are favorable for flooding. *Time to prepare!*
- A **Flood Warning** is issued when flooding is imminent or occurring. *Time to act!*

Never drive into flood waters! Turn around, don't drown!



For more information about this event, please monitor our local hazards page here: <a href="https://www.weather.gov/dtx/dtxhazards">https://www.weather.gov/dtx/dtxhazards</a>

For additional flooding safety and preparedness information, please visit: <a href="https://www.weather.gov/safety/flood">https://www.weather.gov/safety/flood</a>



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